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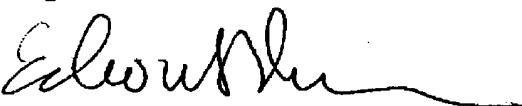
Sir,

In your ADVISORY ACTION of 8/27/04 on page 3, under paragraph # 4, you request evidence that hardness is equivalent to modulus. Please find attached hereto such evidence, on page 264, section 10-3 of Principles of Polymer Science, by Rodriguez, a widely used college level textbook in Polymer Science and Engineering Curriculums.

Further, I wish to discuss several points in the ADVISORY ACTION that are extremely unclear, before filing further amendments or an RCE.

Sincerely,

Edward S. Sherman, Esq.



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